

### Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Eastern and Central Mail arrives at 11:30 a. m., and leaves at 12:30 p. m.  
Final, Globe and Silver King Mail arrives at 12 m., and leaves at 12:15 p. m.  
OYSTER HOUSES—From 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.; from 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m., and from 6 p. m. to 7 p. m. Sundays from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m.

### Home News.

Six loads of lumber for the new church arrived this week.

Alfalfa seed in any quantity desired at Ochoa's. 33tf

Mr. Wm. Dempsey, treasurer-elect has gone to Sonora on business.

Bancroft's agent was here this week soliciting orders and did well.

Just received at J. B. Michas's store—crockery and glassware. 37-4f

Postmaster Putnam, of Riverside, paid the future capital of Arizona a visit this week.

Jacob Suter, supervisor elect from Pinal, paid the county seat a flying visit this week.

Blanket lined clothing and woolen underwear at Ochoa's. 33tf

John Rockelshusen came up from the Pima Agency Thursday, and reports everything quiet.

Charles Tillman received another large installment of lumber for his Florence yard this week.

\*Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is daily working wonderful cures in female diseases.

The delinquent stock of the Montezuma Ditch and Canal Company will be sold on the 16th inst.

Dr. Palmer will open an office in the Ochoa building as soon as the latter shall have been completed.

Hinson Thomas, recorder elect, has filed his official bond and it has been approved and accepted by the board.

Monday is the last day of grace with the taxpayers. All taxes not paid on or before that date become delinquent.

The boys from Butte will take in the masquerade at the Court House, Christmas evening. The more the merrier.

Officers elect must file their official bonds before sundown, Monday, if they expect to take possession of their offices.

Great and nice assortment of ladies' and misses' trimmed hats—at the Lone Star Store. 37-4f

Messrs. Smith & Murray now have a splendid buggy team. Mr. Smith bought a new horse last week which completes the team.

The enchanting chin music of the sawing machine agent was heard in this section this week and numerous sales was the result.

Mr. Young has bought the Turner cattle ranch, at the foot of the Picoacho mountain, and is going into the stock business extensively.

The interior of Mr. J. M. Ochoa's new store is nearing completion and it is the neatest and finest looking store room in the county.

With Diamond Dyes any lady can get as good results as the best practical dyer. Every dye warranted true to name and sample.

Mrs. Isaac D. Smith has returned from her summer visit to San Francisco, and her numerous friends here are glad to welcome her home.

There were five bars of bullion from the Pioneer and three from the Mack Morris came down Monday. The total value was about \$10,000.

Superintendent Elmore, of the Hastings Consolidated, returned from the West Wednesday and we hope to see him re-start the mill at once.

Mrs. J. L. Clark, sister to Mrs. Jos. Collingwood, was here this week visiting the latter. Mr. Clark has a fine cattle ranch in the Catalinas.

Sam Bostie will occupy one of the newly refitted rooms in the Ochoa building, with his tonorial business. His new quarters will be first-class.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanoue spent the week at their cattle ranch, the former superintending the work on the new building in course of construction there.

Fred Adams and Dan Crocker came down from Butte, Thursday, having completed the new flat-bent they were building for the Pinal Consolidated.

Prof. Blake, whom report said had been sent to San Domingo by the government, was here Monday and went up to Silver King on professional business.

Smith & Murray's team continues to bring in large installments of new goods to supply the demands of increasing business. They are doing a large business.

Charles Finch came down from Pioneer this week and while here sold a quarter interest in the Grizzly Bear, at Mineral Hill, to Chas. Tillman for a consideration of \$500.

Mr. Scott, superintendent of the Princeton Mining Company, of the Riverside district, left here for Tucson, Wednesday. Mrs. Scott will remain at the King till his return.

The new Pinal Copper Company, it is said, will move their furnace across the river, on the 1st of January, to a site nearly opposite the one upon which it stands now.

A neat 11-stone diamond ring, one of the latest designs, taken in pawn, with a large lot of other diamonds, will be sold at a sacrifice, \$85. Come and see it. Uncle Harris, 221 Kearney Street.

The Globe Silver Belt comes to us this week enlarged to a seven column paper and printed from new types. It is now a handsome, as well as a readable paper and we hope it may continue to prosper.

J. M. Ochoa has on hand twenty thousand pounds of good, fresh line which he offers at \$1.50 per hundred pounds. 34td

Recorder Devine and Charlie Rapp, left for the Papago country Thursday, to locate a rich mine to which an Indian promised to lead them. They will also look after some other property before returning.

Jas. Elder, one of the pioneer prospectors of the Riverside district, was in town this week. He is engaged now in taking out iron ore for the Pinal Consolidated from one of his iron mines, located near Riverside.

Mr. J. W. Stone, of Pinal, returned from San Francisco, Wednesday, and will make preparations to ship ore from his property in the Rodgers district. The shipment he made a few weeks since averaged well.

On the 7th the president nominated Mr. A. H. Jackson, of Nebraska, to be Indian agent at the Pima Agency, this county. Mr. Jackson has been in charge of the agency some weeks straightening out matters there.

Hon. A. J. Doran and Mr. Fleishman, of Butte, were among the visitors at the Garden City of Arizona this week. They were inspecting the wringers to the new patent washing machines which are becoming popular in these parts lately.

If some able-bodied lover of humanity would only turn out with a shotgun or bowitzer and curtail the career of a few hundred of the coveting canines which make their habitat in this beautiful burg, our people would rise up, to a man, and call him blessed.

Another rich strike has been made in some mines located near here, the parties of which we are not at liberty to make public just yet. It is the most important find made for some time and will be a great benefit to this section. The ore assays from \$12,000 to \$20,000 per ton.

Pitted cherries, preserved apricots, Alden apples and peaches. A general stock of Fancy Groceries always kept on hand at Ochoa's. 33tf

Mr. F. A. Stevens, who is superintending Buckalew's freighting outfit, came in from Globe Monday. He says there are about five hundred teams now engaged in freighting between Globe and Wilcox. The extra amount of freight required by the copper furnaces gives those teams employment.

We invite attention to the new advertisement of J. B. Michas, which appears on the outside page of this issue. Mr. Michas has a very complete stock of general merchandise and his goods are all fresh and pure. He sells at the lowest prices, believing in quick sales and small profits. Give him a trial.

Five lot of Ladies' Misses' and children's zephyr shawls, nubias, jackets and boots—at J. B. Michas's. 37-4f

Mrs. Henry Scholshusen celebrated the 21st anniversary of her birth Friday evening and invited a number of friends to participate in the festivities. The evening passed pleasantly. Mr. J. J. Devine, who was one of the guests, rounded the turn of thirty-three the same day. We hope they may both live to see many happy returns of the day.

There are several prominent mining sales under way in this county at present and the prospects for a general mining boom in this locality soon grow brighter as the days glide by. If our mines once get fairly started there will be lively times here. The best mineral fields in Arizona lie within the borders of this small but promising county, and all we need is money and muscle to develop them.

Mr. John T. Bates and Fred Winkelman have hauled four wagon loads of ore from the Silver Queen to Tucson, from which point it will be shipped to the Tombstone mills. They started to the Tombstone mill with the first two loads, but found a hard road to travel, and turning back, went to Tucson. It is only a short distance from the Queen to the Tombstone mill, and a good road could be made at a small cost.

Wagon covers of all sizes. Wall tents 10x14 and 12x14 at Ochoa's. 33tf

Mr. Geo. N. Finch, of Dudleyville, was here this week and went hence to Mineral Hill to do his annual assessment work on a number of fine prospects in that district, in which he is interested. One of the claims he owns there shows signs of having been worked many years ago by the primitive methods of the natives. The old dump indicates that a considerable amount of waste rock has been taken out, and it is probable that a proportionate amount of galena ore was also taken out.

A meeting was held at the Silver King hotel Tuesday evening to discuss the matter of celebrating Christmas by a grand masquerade ball at the Court House Christmas evening. Judge Davis, Henry Scholshusen and Richard Brady were appointed a committee of arrangements and under their management the affair could hardly fail of success. And to make assurance doubly sure the ladies have enlisted in the cause. There could be no such thing as a fall in a social undertaking in which they are concerned.

"Every truth has two sides; look at both before committing yourself to either." Kidney-Wort challenges the closest scrutiny of its ingredients and its grand results. It has nothing to fear from truth. Doctors may disagree as to the best methods and remedies for the cure of constipation and disordered liver and kidneys. But those that have used Kidney-Wort, agree that it is by far the best medicine known. Its action is prompt, thorough and lasting.

The Southern Pacific Company have landed lumber at Picoacho station with the intention of erecting there a large warehouse and water tank. This improvement, it is said, was prompted by the fact that the Gunsmith Mining Company are building or making preparations to build a wagon road from that district to Picoacho. But there is enough business at Picoacho, without the Gunsmith trade, to justify the company in making these proposed improvements. The Silver Belle district is opening up with every indication that it will be a prosperous camp for a long time to come and Picoacho is its shipping and receiving point.

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Last week we had occasion to state, that, according to reports, the Indian agent at Sacaton, this county, had investigated the alleged defalcations of ex-Agent Wheeler, and found his accounts correct. Since then we have enquired into the matter further, and find a contrary state of facts. Wheeler's shortage will amount to something near \$1,500 or \$2,000. We have also learned from a reliable source that this pious agent sold a lot of hay to the government at \$20 per ton, and subsequently re-sold it to a company of soldiers brought to Sacaton by a false alarm, for \$10 per ton. There are a number of other small inquiries of which this truly pious man will be found guilty if Secretary Teller sends a trustworthy man here to look into the conduct of Roswell. But the secretary must not depend upon information furnished by interested parties on either side, if he expects to learn the real facts in the case. There is another thing in connection with Wheeler that the grand jury of this county should look into carefully, and that is the murder of Papagos, last summer, by the agency police. We have been informed by gentlemen who say they are prepared to prove what they assert, that Wheeler desired the assistance of the Papagos in harvesting his crop, and that the police were sent after them with instructions to bring them in dead or alive. We do not believe in persecuting men, but do believe in prosecuting them when they lay themselves liable, and if the charges here quoted, can be proven, he should be called to answer. We are not voicing reports in this item handed us by parties who are, or have been, connected with the agency, and our only object in reviving the subject is to have the matter fully and completely cleared up. There have been reports and counter reports, denials and counter denials, from both sides, and nothing short of a thorough official investigation can bring out all the facts, and it is best for all concerned that the exact truth should be known so that the guilty may be punished and the innocent vindicated.

Choice Fresh Roll Butter received every week at Ochoa's. 29tf

W. E. D. Scott, superintendent of the Princeton Mining Company, organized at Princeton, N. J., owning mines in Pinal county, near the South Pioneer, was in the city to-day just from the mines. Their property is opening up magnificently. He had with him some fine specimens of ore from the Ruby mines, showing free gold in large quantities. If the company has one of that character they will want to keep the ore dump well housed, for an able-bodied man would have no trouble in packing away a small fortune in such ore. We had heard good reports from the property, but were surprised at the character and richness of the ore.—Citizen.

A rich strike was made in the Desert mine this week. It consists of about five feet of solid ore averaging \$40 per ton and is at the bottom of the inclined shaft, sixty or seventy feet below the surface. The shaft goes down on the ledge, and shows four feet of vein matter from the surface down. Near the surface the ore was distributed irregularly through this vein matter, which gradually solidified with depth, till it blended into the five feet of solid ore mentioned above. The Desert belongs to the Jessie Benton group of mines, and is the one the mill has received its ore supply from since starting. The owners of Jessie Benton stock, hereabouts, are feeling jubilant.

Just received at J. M. Ochoa's, new importations of shawls, blankets, quilts, ladies felt skirts, cotton and woolen flannels, dress goods of every description, crapes, oil clothes, &c. 29tf